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Subject: Davenport Water Treatment Plant Grant Application
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Dear Ms. Billington,

I am writing this email in support of grant money to the Santa Cruz County Public Works Department for the Davenport Sanitation District's grant proposal. My wife and I live in Davenport and have been retired for the past three years. Our income is very limited and our water rates have risen from \$312 a year in 2002 to \$1,200 a year in 2006. If the grant money is not received for the upgrade of our water treatment system and plant, our water rates will continue to grow at astronomical rates. It is very unrealistic to expect us to pay exorbitant rates for undrinkable water and it is unrealistic to expect a small community such as ours to pay for water treatment plant upgrades through rate increases.

I urge you to approve funding for this grant which will help pay for much needed water treatment plant upgrades.

Thank you.

Bruce Kosanovic and Claudia Cornish

